

# OFFICIAL DISPATCH

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DISPATCH NO. [REDACTED]

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TO: Chief of Station, [REDACTED]  
FROM: [REDACTED]  
SUBJECT: GENERAL - Operational  
SPECIFIC: Drug Developments

DATE: 24 March 1949

1. [REDACTED], an assistant to [REDACTED], on matters of technical intelligence, is accompanying [REDACTED] on a trip to Europe and will be in [REDACTED] the latter part of April. We have collaborated with [REDACTED] on intelligence matters here and on an operation in [REDACTED] last year.

2. In addition to technical intelligence matters, we have recently discussed with [REDACTED] new developments in drugs as aids to interrogation, a subject in which he is very interested. While our interest in this subject must for high policy reasons be kept very closely controlled, nevertheless it might be very profitable for [REDACTED], who already has a background knowledge, to meet [REDACTED] and be briefed on these matters. [REDACTED] would be the most logical keyman in this line when the need arises. Incidentally, we expect to cover at least the outlines of this subject with [REDACTED] before he leaves.

3. [REDACTED] has been told that we have [REDACTED] in Germany and that Germany would be the first area in which we would wish to employ the latest interrogation techniques. As an example, we discussed with him (in theoretical form) applicability of drugs on a case like [REDACTED]. It was left with [REDACTED] that if he should have the opportunity, he should contact you to arrange to meet the [REDACTED] operator to discuss this entire subject.

4. Needless to say, [REDACTED] should not be taken into the bosom of the family on operational matters. He should be treated with the same courtesy as other visiting dignitaries but his having collaborated with us in the past entitles him to no special treatment when it comes to operational details. He has been told to get in touch with you personally through our liaison office in [REDACTED]. In this manner, you can put him in touch with [REDACTED] and anyone else whom you deem advisable.

5. If by any chance you have an opportunity to meet [REDACTED] personally, the same consideration should be shown him as was outlined in the cable sent out at the time [REDACTED] made his trip around Europe. (See Wash [REDACTED])

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